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EXCHANGE PROGRAMME OF TELEVISION
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) : whether there is any proposal for extending co-operation in Television Network and exchange of programmes with other countries of the world;

(b) : if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any agreement has been singed in this regard;

(d) : if so, the salient features thereof; and

(e) : the time by which the agreement is likely to be implemented?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF STATE OF TH DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT

(SHRI ARUN JAITLEY)

(a) to (e) : Prasar Bharati have intimated that cooperation between Doordarshan and other broadcasting organisations is an ongoing process and agreements are signed from time to time on mutual convenience of the parties. Recently on 22nd February, 2000 Doordarshan has signed an agreement with the Radiodiffusion Television Marocaine (RTM), Morocco inthe fields of programme exchange, co-productions, training of personnel in each other`s organisation on mutual basis and reciprocal visits of delegates/correspondents. The various clauses of the agreement will be implemented as per the mutual convenience of the two parties or at the initiative of one of the parties.